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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Takao Miyoshi et al.) Group Art Unit: 2174
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Application No.: 09/554,065) Examiner: Sy D LUU
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Filed: April 1, 2002)
) Confirmation No.: 8394
For: CHARACTER COMMUNICATION)
DEVICE)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In a restriction requirement dated October 5, 2005, as clarified in a telephone conversation with the Examiner on October 31, the Examiner required restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121 between Group I, claims 27-35, drawn to an on-screen display and Group II, claims 36-37, drawn to an interface customization.

In the Restriction Requirement, the claims identified in the Office Action Summary differ from the claims discussed in the detailed action. Based on the telephone conversation with the Examiner on October 31, 2005, the Examiner confirmed that he intended to restrict pending claims 27-37 between claims 27-35, drawn to an on-screen display and claims 36-37, drawn to an interface customization.

In response to the restriction requirement, Applicants elect to prosecute claims 27-35, without traverse.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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